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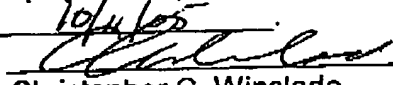
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of: )

Ed H. Franck, et al. )

Serial No.: 10/658,139 )

Filed: September 9, 2003 )

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR )  
PROVIDING SEAMLESS )  
CONNECTIVITY AND )  
COMMUNICATION IN A MULTI- )  
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## STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is submitted as an inquiry as to the status of the application identified above.

More than one year has passed since the filing of this application on September 9, 2003, accompanied by a post-card receipt. A Filing Receipt was received December 8, 2003. An Assignment was faxed and recorded on December 30, 2003. An Information Disclosure Statement was filed on January 21, 2004. A Power of Attorney was filed on February 4, 2004. The application published on March 18, 2004. A Status Inquiry was faxed on March 7, 2005. No further communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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